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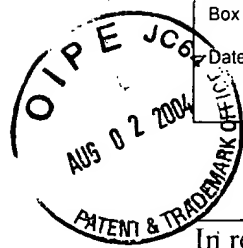
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In re Patent Application of:
Jean-Christophe RENAULD et al.

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Art Unit: 1646

For: ISOLATED NUCLEIC ACID MOLECULES WHICH
ENCODE A SOLUBLE IL-TIF RECEPTOR OR
BINDING PROTEIN WHICH BINDS TO IL-TIF/IL-
22, AND USES THEREOF

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LETTER RE SEQUENCES

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Dear Sir:

Upon review, it was found that the previously submitted sequence listing was NOT identical to the sequences filed in this case originally. SEQ ID NOS: 5, 6, 10, and 11 differed. Hence, applicants ask that the current computer readable form and paper copy of sequence listings be replaced by the attached.

I hereby state that I have reviewed the paper copy of the Sequence Listing contained on pages 1 to 4 of said Sequence Listing, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(c), and have reviewed the computer readable form of the Sequence Listing, as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(e), and that the content of the paper and computer readable copies for the above-referenced patent application are the same as required by 37 C.F.R. § 1.821(f).

Early favorable consideration of the patent application is respectfully solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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